

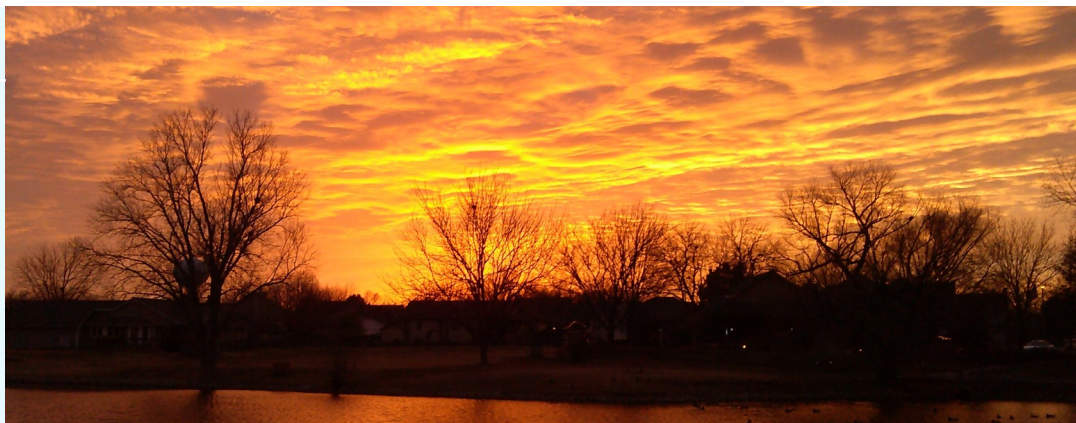
Fireworks! Fireworks! Fireworks!

Beautify Bel Aire Winner

Chamber Member of the Month

Playful City USA

Upcoming Events



July 2015

# Bel Aire Beacon



## City Hall Meeting Schedule >>>

### Chamber of Commerce

July 1st at 12pm

### Municipal Court

July 1st at 7:00pm & July 16th at 12:30pm

### City Offices Closed

July 3rd

### City Council

July 7th & 21st at 7pm

### Council Workshop

July 13th at 6:30pm

### Planning Commission

July 16th at 6:00pm

### Utility Advisory Committee

July 21st at 4pm

### Chisholm Creek Utility

### Authority Meeting

July 23rd at 4:30pm

### Tree Board

July 27th at 7pm



## Fireworks! Fireworks! Fireworks!

*Fireworks can be detonated from 9am to midnight on July 4th.*

*All firework debris must be cleaned up before 10pm on July 5th.*

If you have a complaint regarding fireworks, Sedgwick County is asking residents to call a non-emergency number in an attempt to keep 911 lines free for emergency calls. It will be open from 6pm July 4th until 3am on July 5th to report any firework complaints. Sedgwick County will then notify Bel Aire police officers.

### Firework Complaints: 290-1011

Where can you get your fireworks in Bel Aire? Check out these local stands:

#### Farha Fireworks

sponsored by Bel Aire Lions Club  
4552 N Woodlawn



#### Wholesale Fireworks

sponsored by Sunshine Christian Academy  
6334 E Crestmark



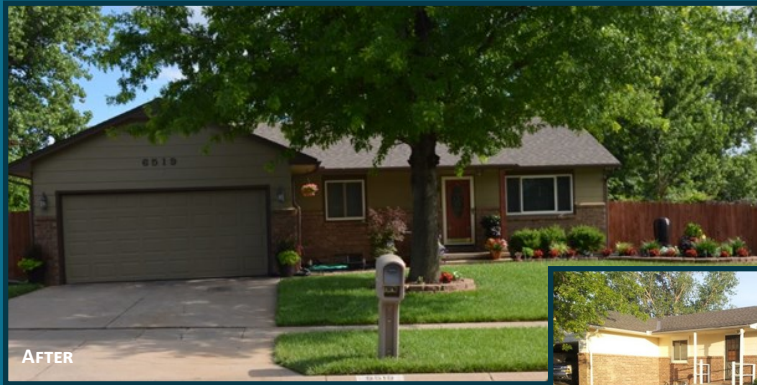
#### Freedom Fireworks

sponsored by Community Bible Chapel  
3977 N Harding



**HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY!**

# Congratulations Tracy Carney, Sr.



The July winner in the Beautify Bel Aire campaign is Tracy Carney, Sr. at 6519 E Danbury. He will receive a \$50.00 gift card from Tree Top Nursery and a sign will be placed in his yard for the month of July.



A new winner will be chosen for August.  
How can you enter?

1. Email before and after pictures to [tterhune@belaireks.gov](mailto:tterhune@belaireks.gov)
2. Mail pictures to the following address:

City of Bel Aire  
7651 E Central Park Ave  
Bel Aire, KS 67226

Contact us!

**City Hall**  
**Ty Lasher, City Manager**  
7651 E. Central Park Ave.  
Bel Aire, KS 67226  
(316) 744-2451  
[tlasher@belaireks.gov](mailto:tlasher@belaireks.gov)

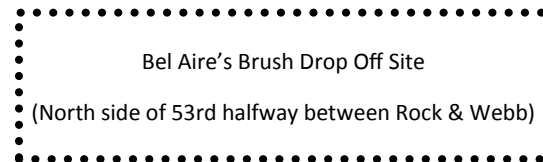
**Bel Aire Police Department**  
**Darrell Atteberry, Police Chief**  
(316) 744-6000  
[datteberry@belaireks.gov](mailto:datteberry@belaireks.gov)

**Bel Aire Public Works**  
**Dave Leiker, Assistant Public Works Director**  
4103 N. Woodlawn  
Bel Aire, KS 67226  
(316) 744-2888/(316) 744-8609  
[parks@belaire.kscoxmail.com](mailto:parks@belaire.kscoxmail.com)

**Bel Aire Recreation Center**  
**Brian Hayes, Recreation/Senior Director**  
5251 E. 48th St. North  
Bel Aire, KS 67220  
(316) 744-2700  
[reccenter@belaireks.gov](mailto:reccenter@belaireks.gov)

## COMMUNITY WIDE CLEAN UP DAY

Participate in Bel Aire's Community Wide Clean Up Day by bringing unwanted items or tree limbs and shrubbery to the following location:



Bel Aire Area Chamber of Commerce >>>

## Member of the Month



**TREE TOP**  
NURSERY & LANDSCAPING

Tree Top Nursery is one of the largest garden centers and nurseries located in the Wichita area. It offers a wide range of services from landscape design and installation to lawn maintenance and irrigation services. Tree Top's Garden Center offers the largest selection of annuals, perennials, trees and shrubs you'll find. Don't forget to check out their in store showroom with unique home décor and garden supplies! With their experience and knowledge, there is nothing they can't help you with for your home and garden needs.



5910 East 37th North  
Bel Aire, KS 67220  
316-686-7491  
[www.treetop-nursery.com](http://www.treetop-nursery.com)



# Bel Aire Recognized as 2015 *Playful City USA* Community



The City of Bel Aire is one of 241 communities honored with a 2015 Playful City USA designation for the 3rd consecutive year. There are only five communities that received this recognition in Kansas. This national recognition program honors cities and towns across the country for making their cities more playable.

Hopscotch sidewalks, structured recreation programs, and city-wide play days are all ways in which these communities are appealing to residents, as well as attracting and retaining residents.

Bel Aire has six parks, a community pool, walking paths, and recreation center available to residents. Not only does Bel Aire hold four annual events that allow kids to get out and play but recently, it proclaimed March 28th as Play Day. Play Day encourages all citizens to support efforts to build and maintain playspaces and playgrounds in their community. Bel Aire will strive to keep playability a key focus every year.

“Playability is crucial to the success of our future communities, and we are proud of the work these cities and leaders are doing to provide a better quality of life for all residents and especially families,” says KaBoom! President, James Siegal. “Play provides a competitive advantage for cities looking to attract and retain residents. With these esteemed leaders, and our friends and partners across the country, we continue to prioritize play for all kids.”

To learn more about these cities, see the full list of the 241 communities named 2015 Playful City USA honorees, or to gather more information on the Playful City USA program, visit [www.playfulcityusa.org](http://www.playfulcityusa.org).



[Check it Out >>>](#)

Free mulch is available to Bel Aire residents at the brush site. It will be available when the brush site is open which is the second Saturday of every month from 9am-1pm .



## Why Bel Aire?

*Close to Everything...*

*...Close to Home*

*Bel Aire launched a new marketing campaign showcasing Bel Aire's best qualities to potential residents. Check out the website [whybelaire.com](http://whybelaire.com) to see information on new home communities , incentive programs, and recent recognitions.*

*Interested in making  
Bel Aire a cleaner,  
more enjoyable and a  
more attractive place  
for all?*

**ADOPT A HYDRANT**



Contact Tristin Terhune at [tterhune@belaireks.gov](mailto:tterhune@belaireks.gov) for more information.

# upcoming events...

Central Park Pool Swimming Lesson Session  
July 7-16 (Mon-Thurs) 11am-1pm/7-8pm

Community Clean Up Day  
July 11 8am-12pm

Brush Pile Site Open  
July 11 9am-1pm

Movies on the Lawn (Bel Aire Rec Center)  
July 11 7:30pm

Challenger Sports Soccer Camp (Bel Aire Rec Center)  
July 13-16

TMK Basketball Clinic (Bel Aire Rec Center)  
July 15-16 9-11am

TMK Speed & Agility Clinic (Bel Aire Rec Center)  
July 15-16 1-2pm

Central Park Pool Swimming Lesson Session  
July 20-30 (Mon-Thurs) 11am-1pm/7-8pm

Central Park Swimming Pool Open Swim  
Weekdays 1-7pm  
Weekends 1-6pm

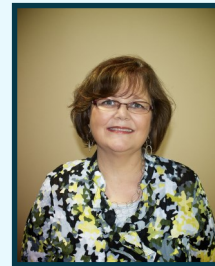
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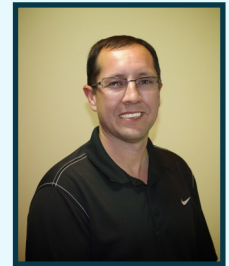
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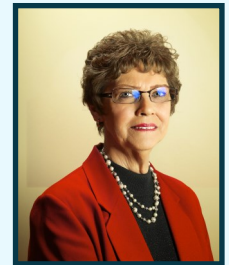
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